

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m. on **TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 2008**, upon the application of **FRITH/SIMON/BROUSSARD/MEAUX**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Marg Howe Sand, Reservoir B**, in the Leleux Field, Vermilion Parish, Louisiana.

1. To establish rules and regulations and to dissolve the single drilling and production unit for Marg Howe Sand, Reservoir B, by Office of Conservation Order No. 341-O-1, effective July 11, 2006, and simultaneously therewith, to create a single drilling and production unit for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Marg Howe Sand, Reservoir B.
2. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the proposed unit with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
3. To designate XTO Energy Inc. as operator and the Girouard No. 1 Well as the unit well for the unit so created.
4. To provide that any wells drilled to the Marg Howe Sand, Reservoir B shall be located in accordance with the spacing provisions of Statewide Order No. 29-E.
5. To provide that the Commissioner of Conservation may reclassify the reservoirs by Supplemental Orders without the necessity of a public hearing should such reclassification be warranted, based on evidence furnished by the Commissioner of Conservation.
6. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Marg Howe Sand, Reservoir B is hereby defined as per Order No. 341-O-1 as being that gas and condensate bearing sand encountered between the depths of 16,040' and 16,235' (electrical log measurements) in the Kern County Land Company-Joseph Herpin Unit No. 1 Well, located in Section 35, Township 11 South, Range 1 East, and is defined as being that sand encountered between the depths of 15,588' and 15,800' (electrical log measurements) in the Pan Am Petroleum Corp.-Ursule A. Simon No. 1 Well, located in Section 1, Township 12 South, Range 1 East, and is hereby further defined as being that gas and condensate bearing sand encountered between the depths of 16,063' and 16,256' (electrical log measurements) in the XTO Energy Inc.-Girouard No. 1 Well, located in Section 36, Township 11 South, Range 1 East.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Lafayette**, Louisiana.
www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

JAMES H. WELSH
COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, LA

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IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION-ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P.O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN TEN (10) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.